

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

**In re application of:** Azevedo et al.

**Application No.** 10/537,017

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**For:** BACTERIAL BIOHERBICIDE FOR  
CONTROL OF GRASSY WEEDS

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**PETITION FOR THREE-MONTH EXTENSION OF TIME**

Applicants petition for a three-month extension of time to respond to the Non-Final Office Action dated September 19, 2007, making a response due on or before December 19, 2007. The three-month extension fee is paid herewith.

Please note that a continuation application is being submitted.

Respectfully submitted,

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